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Briefing of Service Attaches

REFERENCE: Second (COAPS') Draft of Proposed Circular Memorandum to the Directors of Army, Navy, and Air Intelligence, subject as above, and attachment thereto (6 February 1950)

1. Reference is returned herewith.
2. The COAPS' redraft of the proposed circular memorandum is concurred in.
3. It is recommended that the "Proposed Inter-Agency Operating Procedure" attached to reference circular memorandum be modified to conform with the redraft attached hereto. The changes advanced by this redraft are underlined to facilitate comparison with the COAPS' draft. All are intended to tighten the directive. The last change (insertion of "the Service Department concerned considers that") is to forestall rejection of the operating procedure by a service on the ground that it is not firmly stated who is to determine whether an assignment is of a "purely administrative nature".

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Reference COAPS' draft

ORE redraft of Proposed Inter-Agency
Operating Procedure

*1 cc of basic corresp.
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